

SAN FRANCISCO, March 13.—Fair tonight and Thursday; light N wind.
Northern California: Fair tonight and Thursday; warmer Thursday; light N winds.

The TRIBUNE is the only paper in this County that can print the Associated Press dispatches. It also gives a full local report.

Chairman Brown Tells of Tribune's Fine Work.

EDITOR TRIBUNE:—The course pursued by THE TRIBUNE during the entire campaign was one of the features that contributed largely to the success of the ticket. Its columns were always open to a full discussion of the issues of the campaign and it was by this medium that the public were kept in touch with the real questions to be decided.

THE TRIBUNE supported every candidate on the ticket and spared no efforts to add to the success of the Republican party. The fact is that THE TRIBUNE was the only daily paper in Alameda county that espoused the cause of Republicanism and the result shows that it did so in a gallant manner.

EVERETT J. BROWN.
Chairman of the Republican City Central Committee.

CAPT. M'MENOMY IS ELECTED.

Change in the Count Shows He Will Be First Ward Councilman.

Captain McMenomy will be the next Councilman from the First Ward.

This fact was made patent by a discovery made this morning.

In the returns filed with the City Clerk from the Third Precinct of the First Ward, which the Municipal League candidate, was credited with 59 votes against a credit of 51 votes from the same precinct in the hurried reports of the press.

The showing in the official return will of course stand as against the others.

This showing takes five votes from Ruch and reduces him to the same number of votes in the ward as was received by his rival, McMenomy.

This tie-vote of course would declare that no election had taken place and another election would have to be called.

"This, however, will be prevented by the fact that it is known that three ballots were thrown out in the precinct in question because of alleged irregularity in the marks for Johnson and Turner. These three ballots were those of Republicans and they will give McMenomy a majority of three votes and thus entitle him to the seat in the Council from the First Ward.

This of course will require a recount and such will undoubtedly take place.

SALARY BILL.

County Government Act Is Passed to Print.

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SACRAMENTO, Mar. 12.—The county government bill, which came back from the Senate yesterday morning and later in the day considerably amended, was brought up in the Assembly this morning and further tinkered with. The representatives of various counties presented amendments after reading the salary lists of officers of these counties.

Much time was given to debating Melick's amendment to the bill reducing the salaries of officers of Los Angeles county. Melick wanted this section to become operative January, 1902, instead of immediately.

Melick's amendment was lost on a viva voce vote, and he at once gave notice of and demanded reconsideration of the vote. An amendment to lay Melick's motion on the table carried, and amendments by Carter, Jones and Melick followed and were adopted. The consideration of the amendments consumed the greater part of the morning session.

The bill was finally sent to print and will come up on final reading tomorrow.

A LIBERAL RULER.

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MADRID, March 12.—Advices received here from Lisbon say the Queen of Portugal is favoring certain of the religious congregations and encouraging their development in spite of the laws prohibiting them.

The King, on the contrary, is opposed to the clerical elements and is disposed to be tolerant towards the Free Masons and English Protestants who, on His Majesty's recent visit to England, made representations to him on the subject of the persecutions suffered by Protestants in Portugal, whereupon the King promised to intervene.

Wilson's Trial Set.

A. W. Wilson, who is charged with having drawn a check for \$100 on a bank in Hialeah, Ariz., where he had no funds, entered a plea of not guilty this morning and had his trial set for April 9th.

J. S. WIXON IS GIVEN RECEPTION BY FRIENDS.

Big Meeting Held in a Hall in the Second Ward.

Over four hundred supporters of J. S. Wixson, the Councilman-elect of the Second Ward, assembled at Wixson Hall last night to wish him good cheer.

P. J. Brophy called the meeting to order, and after a few remarks gave way to Mr. Wixson, who thanked the gentlemen present for their support and promised to use his every influence and work most earnestly for the Second Ward.

The hit of the evening was the rendering of several songs by Mr. "See" Smith, who was encored several times.

The Second Ward Mandolin and Guitar Club rendered several selections, after which refreshments were served.

The meeting adjourned with three cheers for Mr. Wixson.

THE PRIMARY BILL.

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SACRAMENTO, March 12.—The primary bill came up in the Senate this morning for final passage, but it was amended to correct an error in the numbering of sections and so went again to the printer.

The committee substitute bill, relative to conventions, accompanying measure to the primary bill, was passed.

Stewart's bill relative to procedure for change of names for persons by proceedings in Superior courts was passed.

Hospital Cases.

James Scott, a miner residing at Hayward, was struck over the head twice by a bartender yesterday during a saloon row. He came to the Receiving Hospital to have his wound dressed.

W. E. Pape of 625 Twenty-fourth avenue, was treated for a wound on his foot resulting from stepping on a piece of glass.

MARRIES THREE TIMES.

Mrs. Arnsel Did Not Wait for a Divorce.

Does Not Seem to Care About the Law of the State.

Gertrude Arnsel, alias White, evidently has very little regard for the laws governing marriage. If the statements made by Attorney H. R. Bohm of San Francisco concerning her matrimonial career be true, she is likely to be in serious trouble through her third marital venture. According to his statements the young woman separated from her first husband, failed to keep her second husband because

BRAVE ACT OF JUDGE.

Hon. John Ellsworth Risks His Life to Save a Team.

Rushes Into the Street and Catches Horse's Bridle.

By an act of heroism performed by Superior Judge Ellsworth shortly after noon today, a runaway of four horses attached to an empty rock wagon was stopped in time to prevent great damage and possible loss of life and limb of citizens along one of Oakland's principal and busiest thoroughfares.

Judge Ellsworth had just left the bench and was on his way to his noon day meal. He was slowly sauntering

HARRISON PASSES AWAY.

Death Ends the Long Struggle of Ex-President.

Was Unconscious For Hours Before the End Came.

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INDIANAPOLIS, March 13, 4:30 p. m. — General Harrison is gradually growing weaker.

E. F. TIBBOT.
Harrison is dead.

INDIANAPOLIS, Ind. March 13.—Last night was a long, anxious vigil to the watchers at the bedside of General Harrison and to the thousands of friends and admirers of the ex-President all over the country. The gloom emanating from the Harrison home spread not only over this city, but over the State and nation, and the whole country listened with deepest concern for the story of the fight against death told in the bulletin that came hourly from the side of the dying man.

At the Harrison home in North Delaware street hundreds of telegrams, telephone calls and personal inquiries and expressions of grief and sympathy were received from the immediate friends of the family and from men prominent in the affairs of the nation who were associated at one time or another with General Harrison. The newspaper and telegraph offices in Indianapolis were besieged with crowds for the latest news in regard to the General's condition. The sidewalks in front of the office were lined with people watching for bulletins, and telephone calls came constantly not only

NEGRO BURNED AT THE STAKE.

Mrs. Younger's Murderer Meets Awful Death at Hands of a Texas Mob.

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ST. LOUIS, March 12.—A special to the Post-Dispatch from Corsicana, Texas, says:

John Henderson, the negro, who outraged and murdered Mrs. Younger several days ago, after making a complete confession, was burned at the stake this afternoon by a mob in the presence of more than 5,000 persons.

Henderson had been taken to Hillsboro in fear of the mob gathered in this city soon after his arrest.

Last night the officers in charge of the negro started to take him to Fort Worth for safety. When the train reached Itasca the officers were overpowered and the negro taken from them by citizens of the county who had gone there for that purpose.

Henderson, when confronted with his guilt, confessed the crime. Preparations were at once made to put him to death by fire. The town was crowded with people, most of them armed, and the Sheriff could do nothing against their will.

Seven carloads of people came from Ennis, Texas. Several citizens made strong appeals to the multitude to let the law intervene. These appeals availed nothing.

At 10:45 a. m. an iron pole was erected in the court house yard in full view of 5,000 people who had assembled thereabouts.

A committee that had been appointed to see the accused secured the following confession from Henderson, which was signed and attested by Justice of the Peace H. B. Roberts:

"I, John Henderson, colored, 22 years of age, murdered an unknown white lady three miles north of Corsicana, the 6th of March, 1901. There was no one present but myself, the woman and two little children. I murdered her and left her in the house without any intention of robbing her. I don't know why I did it."

"JOHN J. HENDERSON."

The first train this morning on the

of the enraged people to get him and tear him to pieces. They rushed to the pile of wood and prepared for the fire, fastening the negro to the iron rail with wires and chains.

Cans of oil were dashed over his clothing and dozens of lighted matches touched the inflammable material. At that time the fire alarm bell was rung and the stores of the city were deserted and the streets were full of men pushing to the court house grounds to witness the burning.

Just before the pile was fired Con-way Younger, husband of the murdered woman, jumped at Henderson and slashed him across the face with a knife. As the flames encircled the negro and ran over his clothing the crowd yelled and yelled and Younger again attempted to cut the murderer. At no time during the burning did Henderson give any indication of pain or suffering. He rolled his eyes so as to get a glimpse of the seat of agony faces which surrounded him and his hands moved slightly. It was about ten minutes before he was dead, during which time the movements of his hands were becoming feebler. At no time did he make an outcry other than once a groan.

At 11:15 a. m. L. L. French, husband of the victim of the negro Anderson Norris, who beat her to death with a piece of iron pipe last November, and who was taken from the jail here last week by the officers and carried to a place of safety, climbed a tree and made an impassioned speech to the crowd, asking them to help him to get the murderer and deal with him the way they had just dealt with Henderson. The crowd yelled back that they would assist.

The north bound Central train arriving here at 12 o'clock was crowded with people from the southern part of the county who expressed disappointment at being too late. There was no militia on the train.

STATE LAND BILL.

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SACRAMENTO, March 12.—The Assembly bill from the Committee on Public Lands excited much opposition. The bill amends section 2,551 of the Political Code so as to allow the issue of patents immediately upon the opening of any State land to settlement.

Smith of Kern, Nutt and Curtin spoke against the bill on the ground that it would be favorable for land grabbers and against the interests of actual settlers.

GEORGIA NEGRO LYNCHED

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SPELLMAN, Ga., March 12.—The body of Sherman Harris, a negro, was found this morning swinging from a tree. Harris killed Sydney Kelly, a merchant and farmer, in an altercation yesterday.

ADMINISTRATOR'S AUCTION

On Thursday, March 14, at 11 a. m., at 2257 Alameda avenue, near Oak Street, Alameda.

By order of Mrs. C. Hermann, administrator, grand upright Lech piano, parlor set in electric plush, grand sideboard, extension table, two curly birch bedsteads, sets, dress suit and body dress, carpets, floor matresses, couches, bedsteads, bedsteads, bureau, kitchen range, household china, etc. All the very finest furniture contained in the beautiful eight room residence of C. Hermann, deceased. Dealers and public attend, as every article must be sold, rain or shine.

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SAN DIEGO WATER WORKS SOLD TO CITY.

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SAN DIEGO, March 12.—The San Diego Water Company today signed a contract with the city for the sale of its entire property for \$500,000.

APPORTIONMENT BILL.

Associated Press Dispatches by The Tribune's Special Leased Wire.

SACRAMENTO, March 12.—The House voted to adhere to its amendments to Taylor's bill protecting the meadow lark and to Cutter's bill re-apportioning the State into legislative districts.

The meadow lark bill will be settled at the first conference, but there will be a stubborn fight over the House amendments to the apportionment bill, and the leaders in both Houses make the statement that existing differences will not be adjusted, even by the free conference which is certain to come, and they predict that a joint caucus will be necessary to settle the matter.

TRAINMEN KILLED.

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TRENTON, N. J., March 12.—The boiler of an entire engine pulling a coal train on the Lehigh Valley Railroad exploded this morning near Mud Run, and three men were killed. They were: ENGINEER WILTON ALBERT, FIREMAN MORGAN MORRIS, DRANKMAN ROBERT MCILL-LEN, all of Piquette.

The engine was blown into the Lehigh River and the men instantly killed. The train was not affected and ran for some distance without the engine.

VOLUNTEERS RETURN.

Associated Press Dispatches by The Tribune's Special Leased Wire.

SAN FRANCISCO, March 12.—The United States transport Buford arrived here today from the Philippines. She brought 16 discharged soldiers and civil employes from Manila and 555 men of the Twenty-seventh Volunteer Infantry. On March 10th, Private Gustave Zewer of Company I jumped overboard with suicidal intent. His body was not recovered.

-SCORED THE SHERIFF.

Associated Press Dispatches by The Tribune's Special Leased Wire.

SAN JOSE, March 12.—Today in the Mansfield O'Keefe libel suit District Attorney Bullock of San Mateo county continued his testimony for the defense. He stated that Mansfield showed partiality for Deville, so much so that he would not trust the Sheriff with papers to serve. Witness also said that Deville was allowed unusual freedom in jail.



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PINOLE WATER SCHEME USELESS.

Expert Schuyler Gives Important Testimony in the Water Case.

The water case was resumed before Judge Hart in the Superior Court this morning. Engineer Schuyler was on the stand in continuation of his testimony of yesterday. In response to questions by McCutcheon, witness said the material was unsuitable for a purely earthen dam of the height proposed. It would not be safe or good engineering to construct a purely earthen dam with such material.

"You have said the dam would have to be 145 feet high. What amount of yield would such a reservoir have that could be depended on from year to year?" was asked.

"Hayne objected and McCutcheon said that he was simply asking the witness to go over the ground that had been gone over by Allard. The witness was responding when Hayne interrupted. The answer necessarily involved the run off. Witness answered on one basis, 7,800,000 gallons a day. On another basis, it was 6,500,000 gallons a day. The first basis was on a wet season. The other basis was on a shorter season with a period of drought.

"The diversion contemplated that the flume would divert its full capacity of 20,000,000 a day. It would be very difficult to determine the amount of the run-off that could be saved. In the event of several days of rain the percentage of loss of water from Bear Creek and San Pablo Creek would be greatly in excess of the capacity of the flume.

"Did you observe the character of the land at Pinole?" witness was asked.

"I did."

"You also observed the properties of it?"

"I did."

"What are they?"

"The prevailing soil is black adobe, formed by disintegration of shale rock of that section. It contains water in wet season and, when dry, cracks and is difficult to work into good engineering. The water takes up the salt in the earth and becomes charged with it to a greater or less degree."

"What is the height of the dam?"

"One of the maps does not give indication of height, but one of the exhibits shows a profile reaching to 280 feet, presumably above tide water, making the height of the dam, 145 feet; giving a dam for reservoir capacity of 4,575,000 gallons."

"With a dam of that height, what would be the yield in the years you have mentioned?"

"It would be considerably less than that of a reservoir of larger dimensions. The large capacity would be required to hold the run-over in order to get the yield I have given here. A reservoir of 25 per cent capacity would not give, probably, more than 40 to 50 per cent of the yield of the Pinole water shed."

"No, I do not think it could."

"Could the rainfall of the Pinole water shed be equal to that of San Leandro water shed?"

Hayne objected.

McCutcheon said that Hayne misconstrued, because he was asking the question of the rainfall of the Pinole water shed, which Hayne had referred to in the opening with the Pinole creek, which Hayne had referred to. The San Pablo and the Pinole dams were for different purposes. The water company had a right to show what would be the water fall according to the San Pablo scheme.

Hayne said that the matter had been gone into before. He had read the whole thing yesterday.

McCutcheon said that if Hayne had read the matter yesterday, he (Hayne) would remember it today. What Hayne had read yesterday was not the testimony of the witness, but the testimony of the reporter's notes. The court said that the defendants had taken up a place here and a place there and given testimony as to the water it would produce according to certain schemes. Now, he asked, did the petitioner have a right to reply to it?

Hayne still contended that the petitioner, having gone into the water bearing capacity of San Pablo, could not be gone into again simply because it was proposed to put the dam a little further down the creek.

The testimony as written up by the reporter was then produced and Hayne read from it.

"Where is the 'yield' in the testimony you have read?" asked McCutcheon.

Hayne labored and tried to prove that the testimony contained his contention, but McCutcheon said the testimony, as he contended, showed nothing of the yield of the San Pablo scheme, and such seemed to be the understanding of the court who said that Mr. McCutcheon's question seemed to be allowable in rebuttal.

Witness said he was always of the opinion that the formation of the watershed was such that the probability

was that the precipitation of San Pablo and Pinole would be less than that of San Leandro.

The character of water that would be impounded in the San Pablo reservoir would be more objectionable than that of San Leandro because of the nature of the soil. It would be harder and more objectionable as a drinking water and water for house consumption.

Mr. McCutcheon then asked about the size of the flume referred to in the testimony of the witness.

Witness said he had seen the flume on some of the maps and finally Allard was requested to produce the drawing he had made.

Hayne objected, saying that witness had no right to look at the maps. McCutcheon finally consented to allow witness state the size of the flume he had figured upon.

Schuyler said that flume was four by six feet with a capacity of 50,000,000 gallons.

"What would such a flume cost?" asked McCutcheon.

I have figured it out at \$241,515. It would consist of 29,125 feet of main pipe; 920 feet of trusses at \$1, the length 4,820 feet of pipe system at \$3, making a total of \$17,220; grading flume bed, \$22,000, which would involve the removal of 60,000 cubic yards of earth, two-thirds of which would be of earth 20 cents per yard and one-third of which would be of rock at 75 cents per yard.

These prices witness stated, in response to questions from Mr. McCutcheon, were low, in fact, the lowest. Witness had provided for the flow which was to be laid under the flume of conduit which would make the latter an inlet as well as an outlet. This pipe would be steel and would cost \$11,220. There would be outside the flume 29 additional feet. The concrete around the pipe in the tunnel would cost \$2,500. The excavation for the bed of the tunnel would cost \$7,200. The total cost of the flume itself would be \$120,000.

The diverting dams on Bear and San Pablo creeks, the former being 22 feet high and 60 feet long, and the latter 12 feet high and 67 feet long would cost \$12,000. Then witness had added an item of incidentals, 10 per cent amounting to \$2,430, bringing the total construction cost up to \$224,755.

Hayne went on to object to McCutcheon's questions and Schuyler's answers, more especially when the latter referred to the estimated value of right of way for the conduit. In one of these, Hayne referred to a "ghost" to give such valuation.

The term "ghost" was not understood by McCutcheon and that gentleman stated he declared at the same time that the manner in which the objection was made was a gratuitous insult to the witness, to which he wished to protest in the most emphatic manner.

Hayne immediately ceased his antics and declared that he had no intention of insulting Mr. Schuyler, the witness.

McCutcheon coolly stated that Hayne had a habit of doing things to people and then declaring that he had no intention of hurting them.

McCutcheon's indignation had a pronounced effect upon Hayne, who, as soon as Hayne declared that he had no intention of hurting them, declared that he did not intend to insult him and that what he had said was a bit of "repertoire" with McCutcheon.

Hayne, Schuyler, of course, accepted the tardy explanation, but it was evident that he did not entertain an exalted opinion of the "repertoire" of the municipality's water attorney.

Asked whether such a conduit as described would prove desirable to conduct a supply of water to a large city, witness said it would, and that it would be constructed with masonry. Nor did he consider it comparable with an underground conduit system. He considered the life of the flume he described as ten years, but unless carefully watched there was always danger of sections settling in places where the soil was not of the kind to support it.

McCutcheon's close questioning and detail caused Hayne to ask, "What's the matter with you anyway? Are you getting sick?"

"No," replied McCutcheon, "but I'll make you sick before we get through with this."

Continuing, witness testified that where there was proper excavation made and a proper bearing putting, settlement would be of less likelihood. However, this could all be avoided by driving in hard sinker redwood in the mud silt, and their life would be equal to the rest of the flume.

The cost of converting the land into a reservoir, with a capacity of six thousand million gallons, witness said, would be about \$1,000,000. The entire scheme, to compare it with San Leandro, would have to include the addition of several miles of conduit to bring it to Oakland, and then the value of riparian rights should be included. Leaving out the value of riparian rights, the structural cost of flume, dam, San Pablo creek diversion and conduit would come to \$1,142,755.

Judge Hart then asked Mr. McCutcheon how long he thought his rebuttal would take.

Mr. McCutcheon said he did not think it would take long. He had hoped to get through with the present witness during this morning, but three-fourths of the time, he said, had been consumed by objection and, possibly two witnesses in rebuttal, and might use only one.

Hayne seemed pleased to be charged with delay and declared, smiling at the time, that he could stand the charge.

Judge Hart said that he had other business to attend to, and would like to have the rebuttal testimony in and all the arguments heard and have the case closed by the end of next week.

Hayne then said: "Well, that will be impossible."

"Why?" asked Mr. McCutcheon.

Judge Hart asked of his business engagements, and finally Hayne said that he admitted such was the case, but that this suit, which had existed so long, had got to a point where it was necessary to go over a number of matters very carefully, and he could not see how the case could be ended even at the end of next week.

The discussion was stopped by the court declaring a recess till 1:30 P. M.

The case was resumed this afternoon with Expert Schuyler on the stand.

"Can you approximate the additional expense made necessary to reach bed-rock?"

"I believe so."

Witness then figured and said that it would be approximately 5,000 yards and that the amount of concrete would be required. The water in the reservoir would double the cost of digging rock on a level distance of bedrock from the surface. The aggregate of the estimate for the wall was \$200,000, which, with \$50,000 additional, would make \$250,000. The next item was 150,000 cubic feet of loose embankment at \$1.50, making \$225,000; the next was a sluice embankment of 250,000 cubic yards at 20 cents, \$50,000; earth embankment scraped and hauled, 210,000 cubic yards at 50 cents, \$105,000; wage tunnel, 1,500 feet long, \$55,000; culvert dam, 700 feet long, 6 feet wide by 7 feet high, \$16,500; excavation for culvert to bedrock, \$2,500; outlet pipe 120 feet high five feet in diameter, \$15,000; inlet and outlet pipes, \$2,500; riprap, 250,000 square feet at \$10, \$2,500; 10 per cent for incidentals, \$25,000; building at the dam and a flume-walker, \$2,000. The total cost of the dam with 10 per cent incidentals for engineering, etc., would be \$1,066,618. This, with other estimates, exclusive of interest, would bring the cost up to \$1,491,493. Assuming that two years were consumed in construction, the interest at 6 per cent would be \$181,981, which, added to the other outlay, would make a total of \$1,673,474. A little rubbing would be required over the reservoir bed, but that would be a small thing. If the Pinole system were to be constructed all the buildings he had referred to would have to be constructed, as witness had made estimates for nothing that was not required. To bring Pinole water to Oakland 20-inch pipe would have to be used. In his final total nothing was concluded for water rights or right-of-way.

"Is there any sand or rock available for construction within a short distance of Pinole?" asked Mr. Hayne.

"I was unable to find any sand in Pinole creek. Outcroppings I had seen on the top of the hill led me to believe that they would not be good for masonry purposes."

Witness added that the combined water shed area of Bear Creek and San Pablo was about 31 square miles. From this, there would be quite an amount of run-off which would require a large reservoir. It would be imprudent to enter upon the Pinole scheme unless it could be determined what an amount of run-off could be relied upon to supply the city.

"In your valuations you have \$134,366 which was intended to provide for depreciations and renewals for parts of the plant. Explain what that was intended for."

Hayne objected to this question put by McCutcheon, claiming it was not rebuttal. McCutcheon showed he simply desired to have witness make a little testimony when the witness had a right to make an explanation or correction.

Witness stated he desired to make a correction of an error that is quite material, as it was inconsistent with his other testimony. "It was that this item of \$134,000 produces a contribution of \$12,000 to a sinking fund for depreciation. I had stated on cross-examination that that would also take care of the future depreciation. It was correct, and could only relate to the past, for I have estimated the depreciation of the past," said witness.

McCutcheon asked: "You testified before that the Castro Valley scheme would cost \$2,000 per inch. Did you mean \$2,000 an inch per valuation of development?"

Witness answered affirmatively.

McCutcheon here turned witness over to Hayne, who in a general way, asked numerous minor questions pertaining to prices as given by witness in the past. Witness stated that his estimated prices were controlled by the conditions he found on the ground. Some prices on the Pinole works were higher and some lower than those for the San Leandro work.

Mr. Schuyler said that it could not be determined as to the proportion of difference between the prices unless by taking each item up, and comparing it with another. The prices, of course, were not the same.

Hayne then produced a report of Mr. Schuyler for 1896 and started to question witness as regards his explanation of the prices there.

Mr. McCutcheon said that the figures in both cases were in the record.

YESTERDAY'S PROCEEDINGS.

James D. Schuyler was on the stand yesterday afternoon when THE TRIBUNE's report closed. He stated, in response to a question by McCutcheon that he was familiar with what was known as the Pinole water shed.

Hayne objected to this testimony going in as rebuttal because it was originally a part of the water company's case. Hayne quoted from Schuyler's testimony when the witness was on the stand before, showing that the San Pablo supply had been considered in arriving at a valuation of the San Leandro system of the Contra Costa Company.

McCutcheon held that the San Pablo supply was entirely different from the Pinole system and that Hayne, if anybody, ought to know it.

Hayne protested he was right and spoke about San Pablo creek entering Pinole creek with an assurance which first occasioned surprise on the part of McCutcheon and then elation.

"Why," said McCutcheon, smiling over the misunderstanding, "Hayne, your opponent labored, 'those creeks have nothing to do with one another and nothing to do with the case.'"

Hayne persisted that he was correct, informed and finally called on Allard, who was still lounging in the room, to support him in his statement regarding the San Pablo and Pinole creeks.

Allard's face became suffused and, in an complacent manner, he said that he was able to assume said that Mr. Hayne evidently meant Bear Creek instead of San Pablo creek.

Hayne could not go back on his feet. He was able to recognize the embarrassed manner, accepted the situation. McCutcheon, however, was not merciful. Commenting on the situation, and referring to Hayne, he said: "Why, this is introduced by your own witness through his witness Allard, whose maps are in evidence in this case."

The maps in question were produced and Hayne was completely humiliated.

"Why," continued the attorney for the water company, "it would seem that you have been laboring under a

delusion on this point for all these months."

Hayne was silent.

McCutcheon contended that the San Pablo scheme referred to by the Contra Costa experts was not the same as that introduced by experts for the city. The former had not included the Pinole water shed in the intended duplicate plan.

Hayne said that there was but one San Pablo creek, and that the creek of that name referred to was the same in both connections.

Schuyler's objection was overruled.

Hayne said that he knew where the land of the Pinole scheme was located. The land was located on Pinole creek about six or seven miles below the point where water was to be diverted from Pinole creek by a Leandro dam. All the water in San Pablo and Bear Creek was included in the scheme. Pinole creek was not part of the scheme. The tunnel which was to form a part of the Pinole scheme was to run through a ridge the top of which was about 100 feet above the bed of the tunnel. He examined land in the Pinole scheme on the 4th of this month. A dam could be constructed there. The water in a reservoir would have to be 150 feet in height. Such a dam would have capacity of 6,000,000 gallons. The length would be nearly three times that of the San Leandro dam. The great part of the material around the place was not serviceable for dam building purposes. He had been obliged, because of the northwesterly of the dam, to change the nature of a dam which he had constructed in that neighborhood. A dam could not be constructed there of earth found in that locality and extreme care would have to be exercised in the building of the dam. The soil was adobe and would not be serviceable. He walked over the dam site, examined the rock in the bed of the creek and considered the rock that would be used. The rock on the surface would crumble easily between the fingers.

Adjourned till this morning.

HARRISON PASSES AWAY.

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to reach his bedside before the end came. A telegram received last night from the former stated that he would leave for Washington at 2 o'clock this morning which would bring him into Indianapolis about midnight, while a message from Mrs. McKee from New York contained the information that she could not leave the bedside of her two children, who are seriously ill with the measles.

This morning when the people of the city learned that the General had lived throughout the night there were general expressions of relief and gratification, based on the impression that if the patient had successfully fought off death through the night, today would bring him recuperated energy. However, this hope did not relieve the anxiety felt by all, and the bulletin board was surrounded with the same large crowds and the telephone calls came in the same numbers as yesterday.

Many beautiful flowers have been received at the home and each hour brings a new addition to the offerings. The Harrison home was closed to newspaper men today. Yesterday and last night the house was fairly besieged by representatives of the local papers and correspondents for foreign papers, until it was apparent that a change of arrangements for furnishing bulletins would be necessary. Accordingly it was arranged to give out the bulletins only by telephone.

The Harrison family today has been a busy one. A continuous procession today of messenger boys to the house bearing telegrams of condolence and sympathy.

Mrs. Edna, the sister of General Harrison, who lives in Cincinnati, arrived at the Harrison home at 10 o'clock. Mrs. Edna of Ottumwa, Ia., another sister, is supposed to be on her way here.

John Scott Harrison of Kansas City, one of General Harrison's two brothers, is known to be en route, but it is not known at what hour he will arrive. Carter H. Harrison of Murfreesboro, Tenn., the other brother, is also supposed to be on his way here.

A large number of telegrams were received at the Harrison home today. An unfortunate report got abroad in other cities that the General had died, and messages of condolence were received. The telegrams came from all parts of the country. Among the messages received this afternoon was one from Mr. and Mrs. Andrew Carnegie of New York, and another from United States Senator Fairbanks.

DAUGHTER ON THE WAY.

SARATOGA, N. Y., Mar. 12.—Mr. and Mrs. James McKee at this afternoon, Mrs. McKee gave birth to a son, which they expect to arrive tomorrow afternoon.

DEATH CLOSE AT HAND.

INDIANAPOLIS, Mar. 12.—A few minutes before 1 o'clock this afternoon the General died at the time of death was Mrs. Harrison, wife of the ex-President. Mrs. Edna of Cincinnati and Mrs. McKee of Minneapolis, sisters of the General; the physicians, Dr. Henry Jameson and Dr. F. O. Dorey, W. H. H. Miller, ex-Attorney General; E. P. Tibbott, the General's private secretary, and the nurse.

Sister Mrs. Mary Harrison McKee and Russell B. Harrison were present when the end came. Both are expected to arrive tonight.

General Harrison did not regain consciousness before the end came. He had been in a semi-conscious condition since early yesterday morning and at the time he was able to recognize some of the anxious members of his household who were at his side during the long last hours.

It had been hoped that at the last he would be able to recognize the members of his family, even if he should not be able to speak.

FUNERAL OF THE LATE P. H. REMILLARD.

The funeral of Philip H. Remillard, who died from the family residence, 654 Thirteenth street, next Friday afternoon at 2 o'clock. The interment will be private.

DEATH CALLS POPULAR PETER LAVOREL.

Passed Away at His Home This Afternoon.

Peter Lavorel, one of the proprietors of Barnum's restaurant, on Broadway and Seventh street, died this afternoon shortly before 2 o'clock at his residence, 503 Second street, after a lingering illness that lasted about three months. His wife, Mrs. Anastasia Lavorel, and five children were at his bedside when he passed away.

Mr. Lavorel was born in France 47 years ago. He came to California when he was 17 years of age. His first start in business was made in this city. Being thrifty and saving, he soon accumulated a small capital. When he was 25 years of age he purchased an interest in Barnum's restaurant, with A. Pascoe. Since then prosperity smiled upon him. Under the able management of its proprietors the restaurant became one of the most popular in the city.

Mr. Lavorel and his partner, Mr. Pascoe, maintained their partnership until they were separated by the death of the former. Besides conducting Barnum's restaurant, they at one time were the proprietors of the Neptune's Gardens in Alameda. They also conducted a restaurant in prominent hotels for a time.

Mr. Lavorel was married three years after he came to California. His bride was Miss Anastasia Verite, daughter of a well known restaurateur in San Francisco. The children were born to them. They are Mrs. Tillie De Mont, wife of J. P. De Mont of Newman, Eugene P. Gabrielle, Gabrielle and Joseph Lavorel. The latter is now 12 years of age. Cecilia and Gabrielle are twins, and 12 years.

Up to about three months ago Mr. Lavorel was daily at his restaurant assisting his partner in the management of the place. Even after he became ill he persisted in going to his place of business as regularly as his health would permit. A week ago he took a severe cold, which turned into pneumonia. Dr. J. P. Dunn and Dr. Williams were called in and did all they could to save his life, but their efforts were unavailing. At 1:50 o'clock this afternoon he died quietly and peacefully.

Mr. Lavorel leaves, besides his immediate family, a brother and a sister, Eugene L. Lavorel and Mrs. Josephine Pierre, both of this city. The four younger children reside in this city.

He was a very popular man and was respected by all who knew him.

RED FLAG HAULED DOWN AT INFIRMARY.

The quarantine at the County Infirmary was raised yesterday at 1 o'clock. When the red flag was lowered and the Stars and Stripes raised in its place there was a shout of joy from several of the inmates, who were waiting for the quarantine to be raised so they could take their departure from that institution. The quarantine has been in force about three weeks.

Among those most anxious to leave the institution was Mr. Ryan. He was ready to leave about two weeks ago. The authorities, however, could not permit him to depart while the quarantine was in force. One day, however, Ryan evaded the guards and made his escape. His absence was discovered and in a short time he was found and brought back to the infirmary. Since then he has been kept in what is called the "guard house." He was released yesterday when the red flag was lowered.

INDICTED WHILE HE WAS IN PRISON.

H. H. Brandt, who was indicted by the Grand Jury yesterday on a charge of forgery, was arraigned today before Judge Greene and given one week to enter his plea.

Brandt is a musician. His home is at Berkeley. He is now serving time in the County Jail for having mortgaged his furniture to several persons. After he was convicted of the latter offense, it developed that he had passed a fraudulent check for \$5 on Edward Greenman and Mrs. Camilla Cornelius, who keep a small store at Berkeley. Mrs. Cornelius, who was the principal loser by taking the check, was then brought before the Grand Jury, with the result that an indictment was returned against him. His present term in the County Jail will expire Saturday.

BOYS ARE OUT ON A STRIKE.

Twelve small boys in the Oakland Iron Works went out on a strike yesterday. They have been getting their wages raised every six months. The time of raising the boys' wages has now been increased to a year. They want a return to the six months' plan and hence the strike.

MAY BE A LYNCHING.

Associated Press Dispatches by The Tribune's Special Leased Wire. CANTON, Miss., March 12.—The people here are much disquieted with the acquittal of Russell Branch, white, and the release, unconditionally or on bail, of seven of the eight negroes charged together with Branch with the murder of the Gamble family. Threats of lynching all these and Andrew Boyd, a negro in the case, who is still in jail, are openly made.



Millinery Opening
Friday and Saturday next.

Millinery opening two days ahead. Model hats here already, other hats nearing completion. Twenty experts working steadily making the grandest line of fine millinery Oakland folks have ever seen. The department is under the management of Miss M. Ryza. No cards of invitation have been issued.

Kahn Bros.
The always busy store
N. E. 12th & Washington, Oakland.

MOTHER PLEADS TO SAVE HER DAUGHTER.

COMMITTEE TO GREET M'KINLEY.

SACRAMENTO, March 12.—This morning Speaker Pendleton appointed the following committee to represent the Assembly in the reception to President McKinley upon the occasion of his proposed visit to California next May:

Johnson of Sacramento, Anderson of Solano, Kelly of Alameda, Schilling of Yuba, Webber of Napa, James of Los Angeles, Cowan of Sonoma and Pendleton of Los Angeles.

The Senate yesterday appointed a Committee on Reception, so the State will be amply represented in the ceremonies attending President McKinley's coming to the Golden State.

Licensed to Marry.

Edward Frederick Anderson, Oakland, 19 Eva Higuera, Oakland, 19

Stops the Cough and Works Off the Cold.

Exhaustive Bromo-Quinine Tablets cure a cold in one day. No Cure, No Pay. Price 5 cents.

STORAGE FURNITURE AT AUCTION SALE.

THURSDAY, MARCH 14TH, AT 11:30 A. M. SHARP, WITHOUT RESERVE, ON THE PREMISES, 48 EIGHTH STREET, NEAR BROADWAY, RAIN OR SHINE.

By order of Mrs. J. Manne, I will sell the contents of her ten roomed house, removed from a San Francisco storage house for convenience of sale. Consisting in part of oak and walnut chamber suits, parlor set, odd socks, hair mattresses, folding bed, enameled beds, extra dressers, bedding, dining room, parlor and kitchen furniture, boxspring and body Brussels carpets, rugs, linoleum; also one of the Mackey range with hot water.

Here is a chance for bargains. Terms cash.

T. H. B. ROSENBERG & CO., General Auctioneers, Office 43 Twelfth st. Phone Black 18.

C. W. Kinsey, Dealer in New Style Household Furniture, Carpets, Ranges, Etc.

Modern furniture bought, exchanged or sold on installment payments. Cash discount 10 per cent. from installment prices. 12-14 Third street, Oakland.

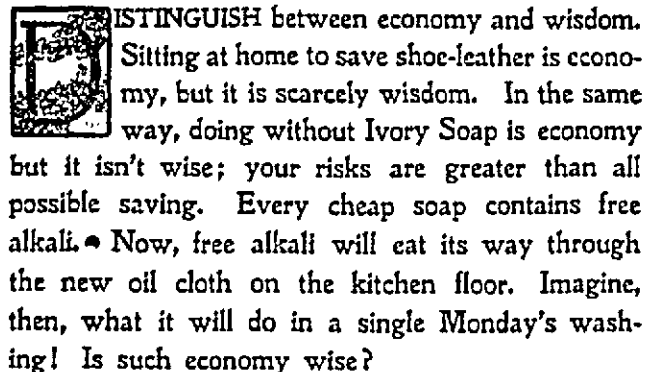
DIED.

REMLAND-In San Francisco, March 12, 1901, at the residence of Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Remland, a native of Oakland, aged 52 years, 9 months and 10 days.

Funeral services will be held at 2 o'clock P. M. from the residence of Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Remland, 12-14 Third street, Oakland.

JOHN A. BECKWITH Insurance Agent 1118 BROADWAY.

Manchester Insurance Company of Manchester, Cal. Fire



Amateur Clubs Will Have a Field Day at Berkeley.

Journal of Management Studies, 19(1), 67-80.

the Tribune from San Antonio, Texas, says:
The twenty-fifth annual meeting of

336-342 1037 Broadway,
Opposite Union Square.

Our NEW DESIGNS OF WALL PAPER for 1901 ARE JUST
Our work is up-to-date, and we guarantee our workmanship the best.

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Oakland Tribune

Amusements.

Macdonough—"The Little Minister."
Dewey—"The Shaughraun."
California—"The Telephone Girl."
Alcazar—"The Last Word."
Tivoli—"The Wizard of the Nile."
Grand Opera House—"Around the World in Eighty Days."
Central—"Captain Impudence."
Columbia—"The Highwayman."
Orpheum—"Vaudville."
Alhambra—"Under Sealed Orders."

PICNICS AT SHELLMOUND PARK.

March 17—Iron Ship Builders' and Doller Makers' Union of America.

WEDNESDAYMARCH 13, 1901

LET US GET TOGETHER.

Rightly interpreted, the lesson to be read in the election returns is that the people of Oakland are weary of internal disputes and sick of waiting their energies in petty contentions of minor importance while the major concerns of municipal life are allowed to go neglected and become obscured like the graves of an abandoned churchyard. It is a reassertion of public spirit, of civic pride, of hope for the future, of confidence in the mutual good faith of citizens; and above all, it is the expression of a desire for an era of good feeling and cheerful cooperation in the promotion of the general welfare and the building up of the city.

Let the message delivered at the polls be received in the spirit which prompted it and accepted as the moving impulse of our municipal life. It is wholesome, hopeful, inspiring. It is the keynote of a new dispensation, the song of progressive development and social order. It is the signal to ground arms and join hands, to end strife and enter harmoniously into the ways of peace and prosperity. It is an admonition to build up and not tear down, to beautify and not vilify, to enlarge and not contract.

Let us fall fully and unreservedly into the spirit which would dismiss as evil dreams the blasted sentiments and sterile triumphs of a jarring community and take up with the broader and better philosophy that the individual is best served when the general interests of the entire commonwealth are promoted. Let us get together and then let us pull together. Let us agree upon some general plan of improvement, and then all back it cheerfully, manfully and heartily. What if it does not meet requirements or come up to the expectations of some? No community was ever unanimous as to the details of any project. You cannot pull together by pulling apart, and the majority must rule where opinion is divided. Speak your best, but also do your best. Stand fast with your brethren, even if you do not always agree with them, and loyalty, good sense and good temper will win their way, and in the end exert an overmastering influence.

We desire to build up Oakland. It is a beautiful city, worthy of our pride and deserving of our efforts to render it more prosperous and attractive. When we labor in harmony for the interests of our city, we serve the cause of civilization and humanity. There is a broadening and humanizing impulse in working together for the common good.

We want to bring people here instead of driving them away; we wish capital to understand that we are hospitable and not hostile to investment; that we favor and do not deride enterprise; that we stand ready to encourage all plans to enlarge our business facilities and to actively aid all projects to extend our commerce and build up manufactures. When we do these things there is advancement in all other lines. There is social development. The individual moves as well as the community. The whole fabric of society is charged with that forward impulse which we call progress.

Let us give Oakland a good name abroad and at home. We have found that it does not pay to give it a hard name. Let us speak well of Oakland people and Oakland institutions. They deserve to be well spoken of. In the bitterness of family quarrels and side alley politics we have abused each other without stint and little cause. The reputation of this city has been injured and the fame of its citizens blackened. By whom? Oaklanders. And through differences that are petty and grounds that are trivial. Let us end this nonsense. Let us be friends with each other and all friends of the city, jealous of its good name and zealous to promote its beauty and prosperity.

VINDICATION OF JUDGE GREENE.

If Judge Greene needed any vindication at anybody's hands, the vindication given him by the Grand Jury is full measure and running over. Happily Judge Greene is beyond the reach of personal assault. His character as an incorruptible jurist, a fearless judge and a stern upholder of the law is too well established in this community to be injured by mere detraction springing from personal malice or political spite. His long service on the bench simply demonstrates that ability, rectitude and fearless independence in the judicial office are sure to meet with popular esteem and support. When the just Judge submits his case to the people, the verdict is always a righteous one. The people vindicate their right to be served with honor and impartiality on the bench by vindicating the magistrate who so serves them.

But it is well that the Grand Jury has thoroughly sifted and exploded the stories set afloat regarding the motives which inspired the finding of certain indictments. These indictments were ascribed to politics, and the ascription implied dishonor to Judge Greene and the members of the Grand Jury. It was also alleged that Congressman McCall (who was in Washington attending to his duties as Congressman) had inspired the jury's action.

The charges were serious; but they lacked the necessary essential of proof. No proof has ever been presented to support them, and the present Grand Jury, after a most diligent search, has been unable to find anything in the shape of proof whatever, or anything that could give color to the charges. The entire matter has been searchingly investigated, and the result is what might have been expected. The charges are stamped as false and malicious inventions put forth for political effect. They were designed to defeat Mr. McCall and injure Judge Greene. It was a bold attempt to make mendacity serve malice on one hand and ambition on the other. It failed because honorable men cannot be ruined by an unsupported lie—directed at their personal and official integrity.

As the motives which gave the calumny birth were quite well understood, denial was not necessary; nevertheless the investigation by the Grand Jury has cast the whole nasty business into the limbo of campaign slander. That an ambitious office-seeker might pose as a martyr to political persecution an effort was made to soil the ermine of a just Judge and to impeach the honor of a high-souled Congressman. The people gave their opinion of the matter at the ballot box, and now the Grand Jury has dispassionately given us the facts of the case. Incidentally the authors of the charges are pilloried.

AN EPOCH OF CHANGE.

As one of the curious minor results of the change in rulers across the Atlantic, every copy of the Book of Common Prayer of the Anglican Church has been altered, all the plates have had to be changed and thus the printers and stationers will reap a large profit this year in the sale of the temporary editions. Changes in sovereignty are not always profitable, however, as, for instance, the immense stocks of school books dealing with historical matters which publishers are forced to carry have now become a dead loss on their hands. When the tenth edition of the British Encyclopaedia shall have begun to be published the changes from the present volumes will be so tremendous as to make it almost a new work, yet ten years ago it was right up to date. Since 1830 the enormous changes in scientific points of view have alone made many cumbersome volumes valueless and have created work for the compositor and the pressman, and it begins to look as if the twentieth century is to be essentially the publishing printers' harvest-time.

The victory won by the Republicans in the city election last Monday was largely due to the untiring efforts of Everett J. Brown and his associates on the Republican City Central Committee. As chairman of the committee Mr. Brown brought to his task the enthusiasm of youth and the judgment and skill of a veteran. He was in the thickest of the fight from the time the campaign opened until the count was closed, and the results are an eloquent testimonial to the value of his work. Mr. Brown filled a trying position with zeal, loyalty and enthusiasm that more than vindicated the judgment of the City Central Committee in choosing him as chairman.

WHY WE SHALL HAVE AN EMPEROR.

Associated Press Dispatch to The Tribune.

NEW YORK, March 13.—President Hadley of Yale University, whose prediction made in the Old South Church in Boston last Sunday that there would be an Emperor in Washington in twenty-five years unless a public sentiment capable of controlling the trusts is aroused, has given rise to comment in this country and Europe, is quoted in a special to the World from Boston, saying:

"The comments of the papers evidently have been based on a misrepresentation of the facts. They seem to have assumed that I spoke on trusts, whereas my address was not on trusts, but on public conscience, my reference to trusts being incidental and of the most casual character. 'I do not mean that the trusts will create an Emperor. What I said was that an aroused public opinion is the only thing that can control the trusts, and without that public opinion we shall have an Emperor.'

MACHINISTS DEMAND NINE HOURS.

Associated Press Dispatch to The Tribune.

NEW YORK, March 13.—The announcement is made by the officers of the New York district of the International Association of Machinists that, beginning with this week, meetings of machinists will be held in all the Eastern cities to prepare for the nine-hour demand of the machinists which goes into effect in May. John O'Connell, president of the International Association of Machinists, who has come East, will speak in all the meetings. He will speak in Hartford today or tomorrow and will address a mass meeting of non-union and union machinists on Friday night in this city.

A feature of the demand, which will affect 360,000 men, is the fact that it is made in behalf of the non-union as well as the union machinists, and the union allows its machinists to work harmoniously with non-union men as long as labor conditions are observed.

CONSPIRACY IN BRAZILIAN NAVY.

Associated Press Dispatch to The Tribune.

NEW YORK, March 13.—A dispatch to the Herald from Rio Janeiro says:

President Salles has sent a telegram to the Governor of San Paulo saying there is no cause for anxiety in the call for vessels stationed at Puerto Alegre. He declares it has nothing to do with the supposed monarchical plot. The public are anxious, however, over the reports. Officials decline to talk freely of the reasons for the extraordinary military precautions that are being taken. It is asserted on high authority that the first intimation of trouble was given by Rear Admiral Wandekolk, chief of the general staff of the navy. Admiral Wandekolk is said to have visited President Salles and informed him that some secret plan was being made among the officers of the navy.

PEACE WAITS ON GENERAL DE WET.

Associated Press Dispatch to The Tribune.

NEW YORK, March 13.—A special dispatch from Pretoria to the Journal and Advertiser says:

Pending the arrival of General De Wet, a general armistice has been declared. General Botha has been in conference with General Kitchener and Sir Alfred Milner for several days, and all three desire to consult De Wet.

De Wet is hurrying north through the Orange River Colony, in obedience to General Botha's summons. He passed Brandfort last night. On his arrival a conference will be held near here. There is joy today, caused by the hope that the last gun has been fired in the Boer war.

DROWNS WIFE AND COMMITTS SUICIDE.

Associated Press Dispatch to The Tribune.

NEW YORK, March 13.—The finding of the body of Michael Ivanka in the Dundee canal at Passaic leads the people to believe that he committed suicide after throwing his wife into the canal. The man was seen walking with his wife beside the canal. A watchman shortly afterwards heard a splash and saw a dark form floating down the river. He saw the man running away and gave chase, but the man escaped. An hour later at the same spot Ivanka jumped into the canal and after some difficulty the police recovered the body. The woman's body has not yet been found.

WOULD-BE BRIBER COMES TO GRIEF.

Associated Press Dispatch to The Tribune.

CHICAGO, March 13.—A special to the Record from Milwaukee, Wis., says:

Charles H. Rowan, the ex-matrimonial agent, has been found guilty of an attempt to bribe United States officials by a jury in the United States Court. It is claimed that he offered \$2,500 to the officials.

DR. COYLE WILL STAY IN DENVER.

Associated Press Dispatch to The Tribune.

DENVER, March 13.—Rev. Robert Coyle, pastor of the Central Presbyterian Church, who tendered his resignation last Saturday and who, it was announced, would go to Los Angeles, has reconsidered the matter and will remain with the Denver church. Several changes he has asked for, including an assistant, will be granted.

SOCIETY.

THE TRIBUNE yesterday published an announcement of the engagement of marriage between Miss Beatrice Steele of this city and Thomas H. Williams, Jr., president of the California Jockey Club, also a resident of Oakland. The date of the marriage, however, was not then known. Miss Steele now announces that the ceremony will take place Saturday evening, March 23, at 5 o'clock, at the home of her mother, Mrs. E. L. G. Steele, 824 Jackson street. The marriage will be a quiet one and will be witnessed only by Rev. William Carson Shaw, who will officiate, Mrs. E. L. G. Steele, Miss Muriel Steele, E. L. G. Steele Jr., mother, sister and brother respectively of the bride to be; Mrs. Charles Aeneas Bennett, Elsie Bennett and Chas. Bennett, aunt and cousins of the bride, and the most intimate of Mr. Williams' friends, including Louis Lissak, Chas. H. Paxton, J. Nangle Butke and Clarence Waterhouse. At 6 o'clock the bridal party will leave for San Francisco, where they will dine, and later attend the theater. There will be no wedding trip.

Mrs. F. H. Sawyer was recently visiting her husband, Dr. Sawyer, at San Rafael.

Miss Carlin Moore was recently visiting Miss Phoebe Mackenzie of San Rafael.

Miss Katharine Carroll has been visiting at Santa Rosa.

Ed Royal was recently visiting relatives at Santa Rosa.

Mr. and Mrs. Mason Whiting Mather have returned from New York. Mrs. Mather will remain with her mother, Mrs. H. H. Huvers of 235 Eleventh street, until after Easter.

Mrs. Foley of Watsonville has been visiting relatives in this city.

Mrs. E. F. Woodward of Santa Rosa has been visiting in this city.

J. H. Bruning was recently in Petaluma.

W. F. Maxwell was recently in Santa Rosa.

W. W. Knickerbocker was recently in Hanford.

H. W. Oliver was recently in Salinas. Mr. and Mrs. H. H. Gans and children have returned to St. Helena after a visit to relatives in this city.

D. Durnan and family were recently visiting in Ukiah.

Miss Edith Beattie has returned to her home in Ukiah after a visit in this city.

Mrs. Best was recently visiting friends at Santa Clara.

J. J. Carroll was recently in Tres Pinos.

The Ebell Society entertained a large number of members and guests yesterday at its regular second Tuesday luncheon, the affair being the largest of its kind during the year. Mrs. William E. Sharon was hostess and was assisted by Mrs. A. M. Simpson and Mrs. C. L. Southard of San Francisco. Mrs. Edgar Stone, Mrs. Helen E. Stone, Mrs. Edwin Taylor, Mrs. Hayward G. Thomas, Mrs. Ada Van Pelt, Mrs. Vernon Waldron, Mrs. Churchill Taylor, Mrs. Edward Walsh, Mrs. Dr. Todd, Mrs. Henry Taylor, Miss Wakefield and Mrs. Frank Watson. The auditorium was decorated in wild flowers for the occasion. An unusually interesting program was planned by Mrs. Henry C. Morris, chairman of the music committee. It included two very forceful addresses, one by Mrs. George Haight of Berkeley on "The Poetry of Browning and Burns," the other by Mrs. Lili Fay of Los Angeles, her subject being "The Consumers' League." There were piano numbers by Miss Flora Kendall and songs by Miss Florence Julia Doane. Miss Pharf was the accompanist.

Mr. and Mrs. William Letts Oliver celebrated the 25th anniversary of their wedding Monday evening, entertaining several hundred of their friends at their home on Lee and Vernon streets, Vernon Heights. The reception was the largest affair of the Lenten season. The home was beautifully decorated, almond blossoms, palms, roses, daffodils, lilies and bamboo being arranged in different rooms. An orchestra played during the evening. The receiving party consisted of the Misses A. C. and Carolyn Oliver, Mr. and Mrs. R. G. Brown, Miss Floriane Brown, Mrs. Lillian Brown Everts, Miss Florence Lowden, Miss May Young, Miss Maud Cheek, Miss Cordelia Bishop and Miss Mary Coogan.

Oakland is alive with engagement rumors these days, one of the most interesting being that relating to Dr. Geo. W. Chase of San Francisco and Miss Guselo Frey of this city. Miss Frey is the daughter of C. J. Frey.

A second engagement is that of Miss Marguerite Spink and Fred W. Laufer. The wedding is set for May.

New Racing Yacht.

Associated Press Dispatches by The Tribune's Special Leased Wire.

LONDON, March 13.—The St. James Gazette this afternoon announces that the Herreshoffs have been commissioned by a shipbuilder of Glasgow to design a sixty-five foot racing yacht to be built on the Clyde.

HOSTETTERS

CELEBRATED

Poor appetite is the result of an unhealthy stomach. Strengthen your digestive organs and arouse your liver and kidneys into action with the Bitters. It will cure Dyspepsia, Constipation, Flatulency and prevent Biliousness and Ague.

Muscle

Does not make the man. "The blood is the life," the vital force of the body. So it not infrequently happens that the man who looks to be a picture of physical strength falls a sudden victim to disease.

A proper care for the blood would prevent many a serious sickness.

The cleansing of the blood is perfectly accomplished by the use of Dr. Pierce's Golden Medical Discovery. It drives out the impurities and poisonous substances which corrupt the blood and breed disease. It increases the activity of the blood-making glands, and so increases the supply of pure blood. It builds up the entire body with good sound flesh.

There is no alcohol in "Golden Medical Discovery" and it is entirely free from opium, cocaine and all other narcotics.

The dealer who offers a substitute for the "Discovery" does so to gain the little more profit paid by inferior medicines. There is nothing "just as good" for the blood as "Golden Medical Discovery" and therefore accept no substitute.

Look for bones of Gold in Medical Discovery for your blood. Write Mr. William D. Steele, of New York, Chicago, Indian Territory, "I had bad sores on my neck and I would burn them at the time I would come right back and they were on me when I came home. I had 'Golden Medical Discovery,' and they went away and I have been here ever since."

Dr. Pierce's Pleasant Pellets cure constipation.

THANKED BY LEGISLATURE.

Mrs. Hearst's Generosity to University Appreciated.

Associated Press Dispatches by The Tribune's Special Leased Wire.

SACRAMENTO, Mar. 13.—In the Assembly this morning Anderson of Salina offered a resolution, which was unanimously adopted, thanking Mrs. Phoebe Hearst for her magnificent donation to the State University at Berkeley. The resolution is as follows:

"Whereas, By the recent conveyance to the University of California of a girls' gymnasium, fully equipped, together with the land belonging thereto, Mrs. Phoebe A. Hearst has again given public evidence of her devotion to the interests of our State University; and

"Whereas, The people of the State of California are under a great many obligations to the above-named donor for her generous expenditure of money for the permanent benefit of that institution, the good of its students and the cause of education in general; and

"Whereas, All loyal, progressive citizens of the State feel under special indebtedness to her for the procurement of the splendid architectural plans under which all permanent improvements at Berkeley will be carried on in the future and which, when completed, will redound to the last glory of the State; therefore be it

"Resolved, By the Assembly, the Senate concurring, that the thanks of the people of the State of California are hereby extended to Mrs. Phoebe A. Hearst for her philanthropy to deserving students, her unostentatious generosity and her loving loyalty to our State in thus adding one of its greatest institutions, and with the thanks give an assurance that her beneficence and public spiritiveness are highly and sincerely appreciated. Be it further

"Resolved, That the Secretary of State is hereby directed to have prepared and forward to her an engraved copy of these resolutions."

A BACHELOR'S TOAST.

Here's to the lass who'll come shyly
From out the future's haze;
Who'll stand by him in the darkest night
With an army of tender ways.

Here's to the hope she'll be pretty,
But then I'd sacrifice it,
If she's a "jolly good fellow."
Lively and brimful of wit.

Here's to the hope that she'll love me,
And use that love for a spur
To make me great from Dame Fortune
And honor for me and her.

Here's to the man who'll truly prize me,
Who'll cheer me with smiles and kisses—
Here's to you, my future wife!
—Albert Jeneco.

Court Notes.

Frank J. Symmes has applied for letters of administration on the estate of Thomas Gardner Thurston, who died in North Carolina in 1881. The estate consists of realty in Berkeley valued at about \$150,000.

The first account of Annie W. Hayes and Dr. E. Symmes, executor of the estate of the late Henry Hayes, shows \$117,639 received and \$12,664 disbursed, leaving a balance of \$104,975 on hand.

Mrs. Susannah Steele has been granted a divorce from William D. Steele on the ground that he was convicted of a felony. There are no children or property interests involved.

The amended final account of G. H. Hepps, as executor of the estate of J. F. Hopp, deceased, shows \$127,991 received and \$13,621 expended. Property valued at \$191,818 was turned over to William Cummings as sole executor.

THE AMERICAN SOLDIER.

In spite of his many handicaps, the American soldier has fully held his own. He has numerous weaknesses, but fear of the enemy is not, fortunately, for the security of the Republic among them. I heard foreign officers freely criticize his military manners and organization, but never his fighting qualities, once his burden of antiquated methods has been cast aside and he faces the foe on the firing line. Then he is as he always was, and let us hope, always will be. In all the criticism one hears there is an undercurrent of respect. I never saw him in a fight, but I feel, with absolute certainty, that the American soldier will ever give a good account of himself if not asked to do more than should be asked of a man. Other elements being approximately equal, the stoutest heart and steadiest

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UNIVERSITY REMOVAL IMMINENT.

Teachers Nervous Over Coming Meeting of Regents.

Professors and instructors of the University of California are awaiting with much apprehension the May meeting of the Board of Regents. That will be the regular annual meeting, at which will be settled for a year hence the individual fate of nearly every professor and instructor in the University. All below the heads of departments and their associates are on the anxious seat.

The cause of this is found in the fact that when Benjamin Ide Wheeler was called from Cornell to preside over the University of California the Regents by resolution conferred upon him the power of initiating all changes in the faculty. Hence, when the time comes to hold the annual meeting, the Regents can but acquiesce should President Wheeler ask them to heed an inflexible.

An inkling of what might happen at the annual meeting occurred last year when there was some talk of retiring Alvin P. Putzker, the well known German professor. A storm arose and such powerful influences were aroused that Putzker remains still at his post. But the oncoming power of the State University has nevertheless created apprehension and most of the teachers are nervous as to the outcome of the May meeting.

ELKS TO PERFORM FOR CHARITY.

On Friday night the Elks will repeat at the Macedonia Theater the minstrel performance they rendered on Washington's Birthday. The performance will be for the benefit of the West Oakland Home, which is a charitable institution conducted for the benefit of children who are homeless. There are now 115 boys and girls in the institution.

William O. Warnock will again act as stage director. All of the specialties which proved so enjoyable at the last performance will be produced again and it is expected that the theater will be crowded.

DESPONDENT GIRL SWALLOWS IODINE.

Nellie Kane, a domestic residing at the Prescott House, Sixth street, swallowed a dose of iodine last night with suicidal intent. She was promptly removed to the hospital.

HEART DISEASE.

Some Facts Regarding the Rapid Increase of Heart Trouble.

Heart trouble, at least among the Americans, is certainly increasing and while this may be largely due to the excitement and worry of American business life, it is more often the result of weak stomach, of poor digestion.

Real organic disease is incurable; but not one case in a hundred of heart trouble is organic. The close relation between heart trouble and poor digestion is because both organs are controlled by the same great nerves, the Sympathetic and Pneumogastric.

In another way, also, the heart is affected by the form of poor digestion which causes gas and fermentation from half digested food. There is a feeling of oppression and heaviness in the chest, caused by pressure of the distended stomach on the heart and lungs, interfering with their action, hence arises palpitation and short breath.

Poor digestion also poisons the blood, making it thin and watery, which irritates and weakens the heart. The most sensible treatment for heart trouble is to improve the digestion and to insure the prompt assimilation of food.

This can be done by the regular use after meals of some safe, pleasant and effective digestive preparation, like Stuart's Dyspepsia Tablets, which may be found at most drug stores, and which contain valuable, harmless digestive elements in a pleasant, convenient form.

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CHINESE QUESTION.

Associated Press Dispatches by The Tribune's Special Leased Wire. LONDON, Mar. 12.—The afternoon papers express regret over the friction which has arisen at Tien Tsin between the British and the Russian over a piece of land alleged to have belonged to the railroad company for some years which they consider may possibly lead to unpleasant complications.

While approving the action of General Blandy, the British chief of staff in Peking, in ordering work on the siding in the dispute to be continued, they think the incident proves the harmony of nations is liable at any moment to be disturbed.

DESERTER'S SENTENCE.

Associated Press Dispatches by The Tribune's Special Leased Wire. WASHINGTON, Mar. 12.—Private Geo. Cupples, Company D, Nineteenth Infantry, who was tried by court martial and found guilty of desertion and sentenced to be shot, has had his sentence commuted by order of the President to dishonorable discharge from the service of the United States with forfeiture of all pay and all allowances and confinement at hard labor for seven years in Buell Military Prison at Manila.

CARNEGIE GOES ABROAD

Associated Press Dispatches by The Tribune's Special Leased Wire. NEW YORK, Mar. 12.—Andrew Carnegie, accompanied by Mrs. Carnegie and their daughter, sailed for Southampton today on the St. Louis. Mr. Carnegie intends to return to this country in October. He will spend most of the time while abroad at Skibo Castle in Scotland.

FATHER SERDA CORRECTS MISTAKE IN DATE.

EDITOR TRIBUNE: Will you kindly correct the date of the musical and literary entertainment to be given at Sacred Heart Hall for the benefit of the Sacred Heart parish. Some one must have told you yesterday that it was to take place next Sunday, whereas it will now take place tomorrow, Thursday, March 14, 1901. Several hundred tickets have already been distributed and they bear the correct date. The proceeds are to go to the building fund for the new church of the Sacred Heart parish. Thanking THE TRIBUNE in advance for the correction, sincerely yours, LAWRENCE SERDA, Pastor.

WILL ARRANGE TO ENTERTAIN PRESIDENT.

The Oakland Board of Trade will meet Friday morning at 10 o'clock. At this meeting arrangements are to be made for the entertainment of President McKinley and party and the Senators and Congressmen on the River and Harbor Committee.

Tardy Reports of Burglaries.

Tardy reports of burglaries in East Oakland have reached the police. Mrs. Frank Ench of 1577 Tenth avenue, reports that last Saturday evening a burglar climbed through a front porch window into her room, while the family was enjoying the evening's meal, and stole a gold watch, a pair of bracelets, a rosary and several small trinkets.

On Saturday morning a burglar forced entrance into the residence of Mrs. Carney, 1276 Thirteenth avenue, but was scared away.

Plumstead Well Received.

Ellsworth Plumstead, the character delineator and impersonator, received a hearty ovation at the Y. M. C. A. auditorium last evening. While his humorous pieces elicited much applause and laughter his pathos won him the highest commendation.

The Schuster Inquest.

The Coroner's jury at the inquest last night on Henry M. Schuster, the University student who sustained fatal injuries while training for a polo vault event at Berkeley last week, brought in a verdict of accidental death, due to fracture of the fourth and fifth cervical vertebrae.

To Receive Boer Refugees.

Associated Press Dispatches by The Tribune's Special Leased Wire. LISBON, Mar. 12.—A hall in the harbor here is being fitted out for the reception of the Boer families expected to arrive in this water shortly on board Portuguese warships from Lorenzo Marques.

Lenten Service.

The regular weekly union service of the Episcopal Church will be held this evening at the Church of the Advent, East Oakland, at 8 o'clock. The Rev. William C. Shaw is rector. The sermon will be preached by the Rev. M. N. Ray, rector of St. John's Church, Oakland.

Social Democrats.

Rev. J. D. Scott of San Francisco will lecture before the Oakland section of the Social Democratic party, at Fraternal Hall, 1124 Washington street, this Wednesday evening. Subject: "Some Strong Points of Socialism." Everybody invited.

DUTCH STEAMER BADLY BATTERED

Brutal French Captain Refuses to Give Assistance.

Associated Press Dispatches by The Tribune's Special Leased Wire. QUEENSTOWN, March 12.—Captain Cortles of the Dutch steamer La Flandre, from Antwerp for Philadelphia, was towed into Queenstown Monday by the British steamer West Point, which picked her up while on her way from London to Philadelphia, with her rudder and stern post carried away and with three of her propeller blades gone, the vessel also being leaky and unmanageable, has made a statement relating his experiences.

The La Flandre became unmanageable March 9th, and her commander bitterly comments on the callousness of the captain of a French steamer which passed the disabled vessel and the failure of others to assist the La Flandre. The first ship sighted was the French vessel referred to, which failed to respond in any way to the La Flandre's urgent signals of distress.

The following day the Red Star line steamer Friesland, Captain Nickels, which arrived at Antwerp March 10th from New York, offered to take off the crew of La Flandre if they were prepared to abandon their ship, but when this was declined the Friesland proceeded. Then a Wilson line steamer bound for Hull passed La Flandre, and the latter, the captain says, refused to lay by and await the fair weather.

The steamer communicated with the Norwegian steamer Liv, Captain Nasmussen, from Barry, March 24, for Hampton Roads. She attached a hawser to La Flandre and began to tow her in the direction of St. Michaels, Azores, but the hawser immediately parted and the Liv proceeded on her voyage.

The worn-out crew of La Flandre were almost in despair when the West Point was sighted and towed the disabled steamer to Queenstown.

COMMISSIONER OF PATENTS TO RESIGN.

Associated Press Dispatches by The Tribune's Special Leased Wire. WASHINGTON, March 12.—Commissioner of Patents Charles A. Duell will tender his resignation to the President in the near future. Mr. Duell contemplated retiring last fall, but on the request of the President he remained through the first administration. The Commissioner will resume the practice of patent law.

IRISH BILL DEFEATED.

Associated Press Dispatches by The Tribune's Special Leased Wire. LONDON, March 12.—The House of Commons today by a vote of 250 to 193 defeated the second reading of the congested districts (Ireland) bill, one of the main features of which was the appointment of a board with power to bring about the compulsory purchase of land.

The chief secretary for Ireland, Mr. Wyndham, opposed the measure.

SERIOUS RIOTS IN SPAIN

Associated Press Dispatches by The Tribune's Special Leased Wire. MADRID, Mar. 12.—Disorderly mobs are in the town of La Rembla in Cordova province. A mob is parading the streets, carrying revolvers, knives and other arms. Serious conflicts are feared.

CZAR'S SISTER TO WED.

Associated Press Dispatches by The Tribune's Special Leased Wire. ST. PETERSBURG, Mar. 12.—The Grand Duchess Olga Alexandrovna, the youngest sister of the czar, has been betrothed to Prince Peter Alexandrovich of Oldenburg.

Held for Burglary.

James Howard, accused of stealing bicycles from a store at Seventeenth street and Telegraph avenue, was today held to answer on a charge of burglary by Police Judge Smith.

A SENSIBLE SUMMER.

A Way to Obtain the Greatest Benefit for the Least Money.

A little woman went to a certain Chautauqua resort last summer, and experienced a most economical and cheerful way of living. She was at that time in a debilitated condition with poor digestion, which made it imperative that she have the right kind of food and yet such that was nourishing and strengthening, "so I took an equipment of fresh, crisp Grape-Nuts. During that summer I lived on Grape-Nuts with a little cream or milk, and some ripe fruit such as I could procure.

"Many meals were made of delicious Grape-Nuts alone. I experienced a peculiar clearness of intellect, and a bodily endurance never known before on the old time diet of meat, biscuits, butter, etc.

"If it was a continual delight, the healthy way of living combined with simplicity, economy, and the highest utility, incurring no restaurant or board bill, and returning, at the end of the summer, with money in my pocket, realizing that I had lived so much more healthily and happily than I had before. I felt myself to be a happy woman."

She lives at Monmouth, Ill. Name given by Postum Cereal Co., Ltd., Battle Creek, Mich.

MANY FRIENDS GATHERED AT HIS FUNERAL.

Wm. G. Hawkett Given Full Masonic Honors.

The spacious Masonic Hall of Alcatraz Lodge at West Oakland was filled at 2 o'clock this afternoon by the mourning relatives and friends of the late William G. Hawkett. At that hour funeral services were held there. It was near by where Mr. Hawkett's earlier life was passed. As boy and man he was largely identified with West Oakland and its people. And so his former neighbors assembled to do honor to his memory.

But not only from West Oakland were there mourners. From all parts of this city, from San Francisco, and from other cities and towns where Will Hawkett was known came old friends to drop a tear on his bier. These were first his numerous personal friends; then those he had been linked within fraternal bonds, and others who had known him in political life.

All these, when reinforced by his former neighbors, many of whom had known him from childhood, served to completely fill Alcatraz Masonic Hall this afternoon.

When the widow and daughters of deceased, gown in sable black, had been escorted into the hall, the beautiful Masonic service began. The quartette of Alcatraz Lodge, consisting of Messrs. Crossman, Coates, Kryster and Baker, sang several appropriate hymns and full honors were paid the departed by the Masonic brethren in charge of the services.

There was a profusion of flowers sent to the late residence of deceased, 170 Thirty-first street, and several of the most noticeable pieces were laid up on the casket when taken in charge by the pall-bearers, who were as follows:

From the Masons—John Bishop and Daniel Robertson.

Workmen of the World—Dave Sinclair and W. Webb.

Workmen—T. H. McDonald and W. W. Morrison.

Personal friends—Wm. Kent and Robert S. Locke.

Among those present were many friends from the lodges of which Mr. Hawkett was a member, viz: Alcatraz Lodge, F. and A. M.; Unity Chapter, O. E. S.; Athens Parlor, N. S. G. W.; Occidental Lodge, A. O. U. W.; and Athens Camp, Workmen of the World.

Charles E. Snook, master of Alcatraz Lodge, and a friend from boyhood, of deceased, conducted the service at the hall. Mr. Snook was visibly affected. The services were most solemn and impressive and exquisitely beautiful.

The body was taken to Old Fellows' cemetery in San Francisco for interment.

PRESERVE REDWOODS.

Associated Press Dispatches by The Tribune's Special Leased Wire. SACRAMENTO, March 12.—The bill from the Committee on Ways and Means creating a board of Fire Commissioners and making an appropriation of \$250,000 for the purchase and preservation of a redwood park, came up on third reading in the Senate this morning.

Curtin spoke for the bill, saying that as the appropriation was to cover a period of five years the amount would not be felt by the taxpayers.

The bill passed by a vote of 50 to 2. Smith of Kern and Howell cast the only negative votes.

The bill now goes to the Governor.

LEGACY FOR NEW BOARD.

Roadway to Boole's Shipyard Delayed by Rains.

Councilman Meers went before the

Board of Public Works today to urge that the latter recommend to their successors in the office the necessity of completing the roadway over Adeline street so that Boole & Sons' shipyard may have an outlet into Oakland by land.

Mayor Snow stated that he would favor pushing ahead the work as much as possible before retiring from office. He said the storm had somewhat delayed matters heretofore. If the railroad company did not hasten to improve the crossing at Third and Adeline streets he would favor having the city dump enough rock on to the track so that teams could cross.

Street Superintendent Ott stated that he had received a letter from Division Superintendent Adler of the Southern Pacific Company, in which Mr. Adler had said the company contemplates improving the crossing at First and Adeline street, but recent rains had prevented operations.

The Board granted L. A. Beretta permission to erect an illuminating sign across the sidewalk at Thirteenth and Broadway.

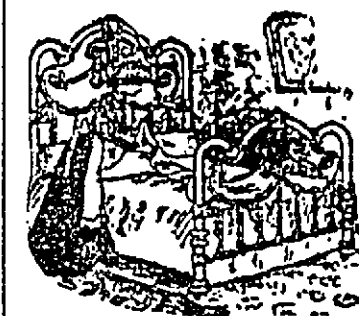
The proposed opening of Perry street near the north end of Lake Merritt having reached the proper stage, the matter was referred to the City Attorney and City Engineer to prepare necessary resolutions.

City Engineer-elect Turner was present during the session and was shown "the ropes" of the office. Later he was taken to the City Engineer's office by Mr. Clement.

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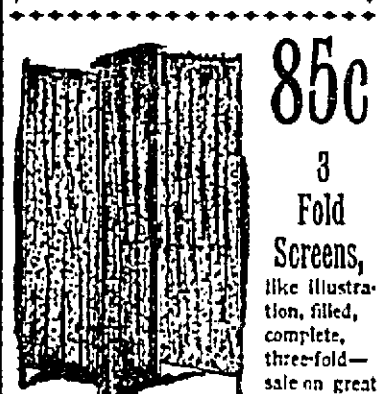
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Parlor Suit—Newly carved and hand-polished, upholstered in fine French Damask—Sale price..... \$19.75
Parlor Rocker and Chair to match, seat upholstered in velvet—Special for this sale..... \$2.75
Parlor or Reception Chair, hand-polished and carved, saddle seat—Special for this sale..... \$1.85

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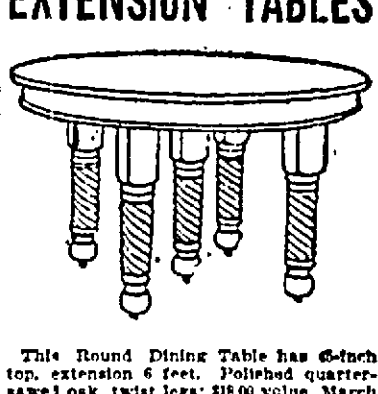
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At 75c Ethelton and Sanford's regular 10-wide Tapestry Carpets, with or without border; also hall and stairs; price includes laying and lining.
At 65c Best All-Wool Intrinsic Carpets; 25 different patterns to choose from—come and see the goods—far better than cheap tapestry carpets, and more artistic colorings; regular \$2.
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EDWARD SHOWS HIS GRATITUDE.

Titles for Ladies Who Fitted Out Hospital Ship.

Associated Press Dispatches by The Tribune's Special Leased Wire. LONDON, Mar. 12.—The Gazette today announces the appointment of Misses George Cornwallis West and Jennie Blow as ladies of grace of the Order of St. John of Jerusalem, and J. J. Van Allen as an honorary knight of grace, in connection respectively with their work in fitting out the American hospital ship Maine and a field hospital for South Africa.

Mrs. George Cornwallis West is better known as Lady Randolph Churchill, her name before her recent marriage to Lieutenant George Cornwallis West.

Mrs. Jennie Blow is an American lady who took a prominent part in the work of the committee in charge of the American hospital ship Maine.

J. J. Van Allen of New York fitted out a field hospital section in January, 1900, and offered it to the British War Office for use in South Africa. It was accepted by the War Office and was called the American section of the hospital to which it was attached.

MUSIC IN HONOR OF ST. PATRICK.

The sons and daughters of Erin and other lovers of music will have an opportunity of listening to a program of rare excellence at Elsie hall tomorrow evening, when an entertainment will be given for the benefit of the Church of Immaculate Conception, Rev. Father King's parish. Prof. Kern's Lyric Society of fifty voices will supply a large portion of the program. Several numbers will also be furnished by the students of St. Mary's College.

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BROADSIDE ATTACK ON THE TREASURY.

Demand Made for Water Miller Again Reaches Suit Fees Amounting to \$14,015. to Hit the City for \$1,620.

Before the City Council settled down last evening to resume consideration of the water rate matter, Clerk Tompkins announced that some routine business was on his desk. Some of it proved quite interesting, especially that in regard to the amounts of fees which it is proposed to pay certain persons for services as experts in the water rate suit. It is in the course of that litigation the present Council, by resolution, permitted the "Special Committee on Water Suit" to employ assistance, etc., it being explained at that time that the resolution was one of the "emergency" type.

As a partial result of this carte blanche piece of legislation the committee last night presented an ordinance appropriating the sum of \$14,015 from the general fund to pay the city's experts in the water rate suit. This money is to be appropriated from the funds of the fiscal year 1900-1901, now practically exhausted.

The second section of the ordinance, as presented by the committee, contains the list of the names and the amount set opposite each name respectively, to-wit:

WILLIAM H. SANDERS	\$ 500
W. E. MILLER	1,620
LEWIS A. HICKS	1,000
C. L. MOORE	1,000
A. S. RIFPLE	750
CHARLES D. MARX	1,000
D. C. HENRY	1,000
G. F. ALLARD	2,500
WILLIAM HAMMOND HALL	500
VAN BOKKELIN & CRANDALL	5,000
Total	\$14,015

The ordinance was referred to the Committee on Ordinance and Judiciary.

The City Clerk was authorized to employ a man at \$3 a day to remain in his office all night each night and all day Sunday to look after election returns, until after the official count is held by the Council.

A blank resolution fixing rent of polling places at Monday's election was referred to the Auditing and Finance Committee; also a similar resolution as to payment of judges, inspectors, ballot clerks and clerks of the election.

Under suspension of the rules R. C. Mattingly was granted permission to construct a sewer in Fifth street between Linden and Chestnut.

Councilman Lemmon introduced a resolution with many wh-reases, relating to the condition of Oakland's streets, etc., and requesting the Board of Public Works to devise suitable means for the proper decoration of the streets and avenues with ornamental trees and shrubs; and also requesting the Trustees of Emeryville and Berkeley to cooperate in tree planting along such streets as extend from Oakland into or through these towns.

HIGHWAYMEN ARE CAPTURED BY POLICE.

Men Who Robbed J. C. Shaw are Now in Prison.

Thos. H. Estes, a big highwayman, and George Dunham, who is believed to be his accomplice, are in the City Prison tanks, accused of highway robbery. Estes has been identified as the fellow who stood up J. C. Shaw at Twentieth and Broadway Sunday night and robbed him of \$20 in gold and silver coin. Dunham is supposed to be the man who planned the hold-up.

Both men were cleverly captured Monday evening by Chief of Police Hodgkins and Detective Shorey. They were found carousing and spending money in resorts along the San Leandro road. The two men were placed on the small boat until Shaw could be found. Last night he identified Estes as the man who held him up at the muzzle of a pistol Sunday night.

Dunham formerly was a driver around the New Departure Dairy. Shaw is employed as a driver and collector. Dunham knew all about Shaw's methods of collections and is presumed to have informed Estes. The two men hid in wait for driver Shaw Sunday night, when they thought he had a sack full of money. They got just \$20.

TROUBLE IN STORE FOR NEW PRIMARY LAW.

SACRAMENTO, March 12.—It seems probable that there is trouble in store for the primary election law. When the bill was in the hands of the Assembly Johnson succeeded in having the voters' test changed from a pledge

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to support the candidates of the party whose ticket he intended to vote at the primary to a declaration of intention to support the principles of the party as enunciated by the last preceding national convention. The bill with this amended test came up in the Senate last night on second reading and Cutler offered an amendment changing the test back to a declaration of intention to support the candidates of the party.

There was an extremely long debate over this amendment, many of the Senators seeming to think that the bill was on final passage and under discussion as a whole, but at last a vote was taken and the amendment was adopted.

Now the bill will have to go back to the Assembly for concurrence, and it is understood that the Assembly will not concur. Some people seem to think that there is danger that this difference will prevent the passage of a primary law at all, occurring as it does within a few days before final adjournment. It is more generally thought, though, that a conference will result in straightening the matter out and that the Legislature will not adjourn without a primary election law.

ST. PATRICK'S DAY EXERCISES AT GOLDEN GATE.

Golden Gate, March 13, 1901.

Editor Tribune.—A grand St. Patrick's night entertainment will be given in Klakner Hall, corner of Fifth and Ninth streets and San Pablo avenue, Golden Gate, on Monday evening, the 13th inst. for the benefit of St. Columba's Parish. The entertainment will consist of literary and musical exercises, and the best talent in Oakland and San Francisco is engaged for the occasion. There will be an outpouring of Irish wit and humor by distinguished Irish comedians. There will also be an exhibition of Irish jig and reel dancing by two of the best performers in San Francisco. It will be an entertainment of fun and mirth and the people of the Golden Gate district will receive a treat on that night. The like of which they have never heretofore enjoyed. The doors of the hall will be opened at 7:30; the entertainment will begin at 8 p. m.

F. HESLIN, Rector.

LITTLE SNOOZE COST QUICKEY A COOL \$100.

Police Officer William Quigley, for nine years a valued member of the Oakland department, was "on the carpet" this forenoon before the Board of Police and Fire Commissioners. He was accused of neglect of duty on February 25th, by sleeping in the lock-up on his beat. It developed that the previous night Quigley had been ill and without sleep. He waited until late in the day, and telephoned for a "sub" but could get none. Then he went to duty. Thirty minutes later when he went to the lock-up to change his shoes he fell asleep.

Quigley admitted these facts, like a gentleman.

Quigley was fined \$100.

"I'm ready to take my medicine," he said; "thank you, gentlemen," and with a graceful bow William withdrew.

DEATH OF A PIONEER OAKLAND PHYSICIAN.

Dr. George H. Clapp, a pioneer physician of this city, died of paralysis yesterday at his home, 925 Campbell street. He was a native of Massachusetts, aged 72 years. The funeral will take place Thursday.

Some time ago Mrs. Clapp, his wife, met death by asphyxiation. She had fainted and fallen across a gas stove.

CHINA BASIN LEASE PASSES THE ASSEMBLY.

Bill's Opponents Make a Poor Showing in the Vote.

SACRAMENTO, March 12.—The China Basin lease came up in the Assembly yesterday afternoon, somewhat sooner than had been expected, and was concluded considerably more decisively than the opponents of the measure had contemplated. The strength of the opposition had been tremendously overestimated, at least by those enlisted in the cause, and the bill to confirm the lease granted by the State Board of Harbor Commissioners to the Santa Fe Railroad Company was finally passed by a handsome majority. The members who had for a week past been saying that they were going to give the bill a tremendous battle in the Assembly showed a remarkable lack of strength when it came to the test.

Brown of San Mateo championed the bill, and caused its consideration by substituting it for another measure well up on the file. He started to debate in response to a demand from Grove Johnson as to why the bill was being brought forward at that time. Johnson thought it rather strange that it should be put ahead of a great many other measures, but made no great point of that. He said, though, that before he could be prepared to vote on the measure he would like to know from Mr. Brown some reason why it should be passed. Brown then made a statement defining the object of the lease and the necessity for confirmation by the Legislature. He said that the lease of this property to the railroad was advisable for the reason that the city of San Francisco desired to afford the Santa Fe Railroad terminal facilities. He had no apology for calling up the bill at this time. It was a very important measure, and should be adopted.

Grove Johnson then rose for an elaborate speech against the confirmation of the lease. He said he understood that a large and influential lobby was present and had been for some days. He had heard of it, and the newspapers were saying that it was here. He had also heard that the lobbyists had boasted that they had a majority of the members of the Legislature pledged in favor of the bill. Mr. Johnson said that he had no doubt that that was true, and little hope of changing the state of affairs. At the same time he said he wanted to present some reasons why the bill should not be passed and to offer a resolution that the bill be referred to a special committee of one with instructions to amend.

Johnson protested that the Legislature could not change the lease, as the only question before it was whether a lease already entered into should be confirmed. Speaker Pendleton ruled in favor of the objection, and Johnson said that he would withdraw the motion for a committee, as he had only desired to draw the fire of the opponents. He then said that the fact that they wanted to shut off the amendment was an indication to him that there was something wrong about the lease. If the Assembly was not to be permitted to change the lease in any way it ought to vote down the bill to confirm it.

He argued that the bill ought to be voted down because it did not protect the rights of the people. He alluded to the character of the discussion that had taken place about the bill, and showed the tremendous influence that was being brought to bear on the bill, and the necessity of extreme caution in guarding the State. He referred to a pamphlet that had been sent out by some of the advocates of the bill, and declared, should protect the interests of the State by insisting that the lease should be lived up to, and that the promised competition in railroad travel and traffic should be maintained. The lease should be so drawn that these two things should be assured. But there was no provision in the lease to insure either one of these things, and he should protect the State. It gave the railroad all, and the State nothing.

Mr. Johnson then read and dissected the bill. He said that there was no provision in the lease to prevent its transfer to another corporation, and that if such transfer should be allowed what was to become, he asked, of the promised competition. The Southern Pacific Railroad Company, or any other corporation could buy the rights and privileges which the Harbor Commission had given the Santa Fe road. There should be something in the lease that would give the Harbor Commission the right to determine what was a transfer and what was reasonable diligence in the performance of the conditions of the lease. It should be stated in the lease what the amount of liquidated damages, and there should also be an agreement that questions arising from the letting of the lease should be decided in the State courts, that is, that appeal to the United States courts should be waived.

At the conclusion of Mr. Johnson's speech Assemblyman Savage declared that Mr. Johnson had not given any good reason why the lease should not be ratified. He referred to the Sacramento Assemblyman's allusion to the lobby, and with tremendous energy declared that no lobby had been at work on him, and he did not believe that any undue influence whatever had been used in behalf of the bill.

Meikie of Pasadena spoke in favor

DRASTIC GAME BILL PASSES BOTH HOUSES.

Provisions of the New Text Book Board Bill.

SACRAMENTO, March 12.—The new game bill has passed both Houses, and now goes to the Governor for his approval. The Act is a sweeping measure, very stringent in all its provisions. Under its terms it is made a misdemeanor for any person to take or kill, or have in his possession more than twenty-five quail, snipe or partridge, or more than fifty ducks, or more than twenty turkeys. It was contended in the debate upon the subject in the Senate that the object of the bill is to give the privilege of killing game to very few. An attempt to amend the Act abolishing any limitation on the number of birds that any market man, hotel keeper or restaurateur may have in his possession on any one day was defeated, as were also all of the many amendments offered.

The Senate has refused to concur in the Assembly amendment to the measure lack bill, in which it was proposed to permit the slaughter of these birds when they were found doing injury.

The Senate has passed the bill providing for the restoration to capacity of persons adjudged insane.

What is known as the home study Act has been passed in the Assembly, and has been favorably reported by the Senate Committee on Education. The bill limits the number of recitations to be required of pupils in the public schools and the secondary grades to twenty per week, and no pupil under 15 years of age attending any grammar or private school can be compelled to do any home study.

The joint committee of the two Houses, which is to meet President McKinley and his party when they reach the State line on the south and escort them until they have crossed the Oregon border will effect a permanent organization before the two Houses adjourn. Lieutenant Governor Jacob H. Neff will be the chairman of the committee, which will charter two special cars to be attached to the Presidential train in its triumphal journey through the State.

The two Houses have passed the bill providing for a Board of State Text Book Commissioners. The Act provides that the Superintendent of Public Instruction, the State Printer shall constitute the new text book board, and they shall have power, subject to the approval of the State Board of Education, to revise in whole or in part such text books as they may deem proper for the use of the common schools throughout the State. The commission is also empowered to purchase plates, maps and engravings and to have copyrights for this purpose. As soon as any text book is ready for distribution it will be the duty of county superintendents throughout the State to purchase at least one copy for every school and distribute them. The new board will within ten days after its organization, elect a secretary, whose salary is to be \$2,000 a year. The Act carries an appropriation of \$20,000 and provides that the State Board of Education may employ one or more experts to professionally examine the text books before their distribution, provided that no opinion of this character shall ever be given by the State Board of Education that may be adopted.

of the lease and was followed by Cowan, who argued the questions raised by Johnson at considerable length. Sutra followed Cowan in a speech in which he attempted to show that the lease would gain enormously by the bill. It would get a half mile of sea wall, would have property that was now idle improved by the railroad, and it would derive dockage from that property for at least forty-four years, as the contracts required the company to complete the contracts in six years, and the lease was for fifty years.

After some further debate a vote was reached. The result of the roll call on the final passage of the bill was 61 ayes and 13 noes. Those voting in the negative were Brady, Chiles, Collins of San Francisco, Evgitt, Franklin, Greer, Henson, Henry, Hubbard, Johnson, Kincaid, Laird, Simpson.

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SENATE BILL FOR ASSESSING FRANCHISES.

Much Time Consumed By Debate in the Assembly.

SACRAMENTO, Mar. 12.—A debate that took up a great deal of the Assembly's time yesterday was upon the Senate bill providing for the assessment of franchises of quasi-public corporations. The main question involved in this discussion was whether the franchise of a corporation should be assessed in the counties where they have their principal place of business, or in counties in which the property of the corporations is located. The bill provides that the franchises shall be assessed in the county in which the corporations owning them have their principal place of business. That was as to quasi-public corporations. Other franchises must be assessed, according to the bill, in the county within which they were granted. The bill also prescribes the method of assessing other kinds of property.

County of San Joaquin opposed the bill, which he said would make a very great difference in the amount of assessable property in his county. He offered an amendment striking out the clause prescribing the manner in which the value of a franchise should be arrived at. This amendment was voted down.

Cowan proposed an amendment providing that the franchises should be assessed in the counties where the corporations operate. He said, for instance, that a corporation might have its place of business in San Francisco, and yet the property might be assessed for the benefit of San Francisco county. Elk opposed this amendment, and it too was voted down. The bill was finally passed by a vote of 26 to 25, and Fisk gave notice of a motion to reconsider.

It is understood that the chief object of this bill is to prevent corporations owning enormously valuable property in one county from declaring their place of business to be in some other county where the rate of taxation is low, and thus deprive the county in which the property is located of the taxes that would otherwise be levied thereon.

Some of the San Francisco legislators assert that some of the big corporations of that city could withdraw from San Francisco many millions of dollars of taxable property by simply establishing their place of business in San Mateo county for instance.

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PROVISIONS OF NEW LOCAL OPTION BILL.

A Job Chaser. Who Once Shaved William J. Bryan.

SACRAMENTO, Mar. 12.—Senator Nutt's new local option bill, which has passed the upper house, provides that whenever there shall be presented to the Board of Supervisors of any county a petition signed by at least twenty-five of the legal voters, as shown by the last preceding general election, or to any other governing body of any city or town, it shall be the duty of such governing body to submit for ratification any ordinance which it may be desired to be enacted into law. Such an election must be held within thirty days after the first regular meeting of such governing body, after the petitions have been filed. A majority of the votes cast at any such election will carry the proposition desired. All attempts to repeal such laws must be accomplished through similar formula, provided that the petitions for this purpose carry at least 75 per cent of the votes cast at the last preceding general State election.

Acts which have become laws without the Governor's signature are the claim of Thomas J. Walsh for conveying the returns of Presidential elections to Sacramento; the act to declare the Sonora and Big Meadows roads in Mono county a State highway; the act making land work unpaid a lien against the owner; the act authorizing the Secretary of State to appoint two additional clerks in his office; the act to prevent the sale of raw materials and the manufacture in the penal institutions in the State of any other salable article than jute bags or cut stone; and the act amending section 53 of the act to provide for the government of municipal corporations.

Senator Caldwell has withdrawn his proposed constitutional amendment for the establishment of courts of appeal.

Senator Nutt's new bill to provide for the dissolution of irrigator districts and distribution of their property has passed the upper house, as has also Senator Apple's bill creating a State Board of Agriculture.

The various measures carrying special appropriations for the several State institutions located south of Tehachapi will have passed both houses not later than Friday.

The new bill prohibiting the false labeling or branding of fruit in boxes or packages has passed the Assembly. The Governor last week vetoed a similar measure because of the stringency of its provisions. The bill to prohibit the sale of drugs in department stores has been killed in the Assembly.

Geat Hintz, who bases his claim to distinction upon the fact that he once shaved the face of William J. Bryan, is here from Los Angeles, seeking an appointment at the hands of the Governor as a member of the State Board of Barter Examiners.

TALKS FOR BENEFIT OF THE SETTLEMENT.

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A series of talks on European travel has been arranged to take place at Miss Horton's school on the next four Friday afternoons at 4 o'clock, for the benefit of the Oakland Social Settlement, as follows:

Friday, March 15th, Miss Ethel Moore will talk on "London." Friday, March 22nd, Mrs. Fred Turner will talk on "Architectural Notes." Friday, March 29th, she will speak on "Art Treasures of Italy," and on Friday, April 5th, Mrs. Turner's subject will be "The Passion Play, Jerusalem."

The price of admission will be for a single talk, 35 cents; for the four talks, \$1.

Story of a Slave.

To be bound hand and foot for years by the chains of disease is the worst form of slavery. George D. Williams of Manchester, Mich., tells how such a slave was made free. He says: "My wife has been a sufferer for five years from a disease which would not respond to any treatment. After using two bottles of Electric Bitters she is wonderfully improved and able to enjoy life. I am now free from nervousness, sleeplessness, melancholy, headache, backache, fainting and dizzy spells. This miracle-working medicine is a godsend to weak, sickly, run-down people. Every bottle guaranteed. Only 50 cents. Sold by Geo. W. Brown, Druggist, corner Seventh and Broadway."

L. Reis in Business.

The above named gentleman has purchased the stock and fixtures of B. Goldberg, the shoe dealer, at 1011 Washington street, and has taken the business will be known as the Savoy Shoe Co. Mr. Reis intends to dispose of the present stock at ridiculously low figures in order to make room for the new invoice that has been selected. Mr. Reis is well and favorably known in Oakland, and was for many years identified with J. L. Champlin, the pioneer shoe dealer, and being a practical man in his business, he will undoubtedly enjoy a large patronage from his inception in his present quarters.

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WATERS ARE CALM AFTER THE ELECTION.

Water Plant Values Heard By Council in Silence.

There was not much cross-firing last night at the City Council meeting when the taking of testimony was resumed with a view of fixing water rates for the current year. The result of the municipal election seemed to have calmed the troubled waters to a degree. It also showed its effects in the varied expressions of the several Councilmen who were candidates.

President Barstow, now Mayor-elect, was as calm and dignified as before election. But the wear and tear of a hot campaign had left an impress upon his rugged face, and though he listened patiently to the long-drawn-out discussions, it was apparent that he had rather been home in bed, resting after the political battle.

Mr. Meese was in somewhat of a fractious mood, and while this is not attributable to his defeat by Bob Boyer, yet it was none the less noticeable. He was specially peevish when Attorney A. A. Moore appeared and offered a lot of documentary testimony. Mr. Meese warmly offered a motion to limit the hearing of water company testimony to not later than tonight.

Mr. Cuvellier, apparently as joyous in his re-election as his friend Meese was dejected in defeat, seconded the motion.

"We haven't got much time to finish this matter," said Meese.

"Give me two more nights—this and another," suggested Cuvellier, and it was so ordered.

Attorney Moore then called Deputy District Attorney Will Harris who is also a real estate operator in Livermore Valley lands. By Mr. Harris it was shown what prices land near Pleasanton now bear, and that the Contra Costa Company's tract in that vicinity is worth at least \$100 an acre.

Attorney Moore then produced a bundle of deeds to real estate purchased in past years by the Contra Costa and Oakland Water Companies.

"I am not going to read all these," he said.

"We don't want anything not sworn to," interjected Councilman Meese and Cuvellier in a breath.

"Well, it would be impossible to find any man alone who could swear to a lot of deeds and that the Water Company owned all the property now," rejoined Mr. Moore. "As a fact matter, I only desire to identify these deeds and what they represent. I am willing to file the deeds with the clerk of this Council for your inspection."

Mr. Moore was permitted to read a synopsis of the deeds after Cuvellier had subsided and then he offered to file them with the clerk.

Engineer P. M. Hewson was sworn as a witness and testified that all the improvements on the lands embraced in the deeds, and described therein, actually exist.

Engineer James P. Schuyler was next called as a witness and examined at length as to the values of the Contra Costa Company's present possessions. His testimony was practically along the lines given in the suit now on trial before Judge Hart, the same figures being given. After this the witness was asked to take a fact necessary for the Contra Costa to acquire the Oakland Water Company's plant.

This he explained was because Lake Chabot's records showed that not more than 5,000,000 gallons of water can be safely drawn daily therefrom, whereas this city uses 12,000,000 gallons a day. Had there been no Oakland water company supplying a part of this city during the recent "dry" years, the lake at San Leandro would have been dry several months before the two water companies consolidated.

Councilman Mott wanted to know if the dam at San Leandro lake had been raised seventy-five feet higher in 1906 than it was then, would not sufficient water have been impounded in the lake to tide over the years of drought.

Mr. Schuyler thought it possible. But, he explained, by acquiring the Oakland plant an additional distributing system was obtained which enabled the Company to now distribute a larger quantity of water than it could from its original plant, and also maintain a higher, uniform pressure in its mains.

Councilman Cuvellier then wandered off into the realm of meters, and by a system of questions intimated that he believed 40 per cent of the water used in this city could be saved if the city were "metered."

In answer to Mr. Taylor, Engineer Schuyler explained how he arrived at his estimates. Then the Council adjourned until tonight at 8 o'clock.

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